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SECOND ENDORSEMENT on Rear Admiral (Select) USN, ltr 5830 of 3 Feb 05 (as modified by change transmittal on 18 Feb 05) (U)

From: Commander Submarine Force, U.S. Pacific Fleet

To: Commander, U.S. Pacific Fleet

Subj: COMMAND INVESTIGATION OF THE SUBMERGED GROUNDING OF

USS SAN FRANCISCO (SSN 711) APPROXIMATELY 360 NM SOUTHEAST

OF GUAM THAT OCCURRED ON 8 JANUARY 2005

 (U) Forwarded, recommending approval of the findings of fact, opinions, and recommendations of the investigating officer and the endorsement and actions taken by Commander, SEVENTH Fleet.

- (U) A summary of events is enclosed within the first endorsement.
- 3. (U) Recommendation 12 was forwarded to COMSUBPAC. A review of critical manning areas at COMSUBRON FIFTEEN and other associated activities in Guam was conducted. The two gapped COMSUBRON FIFTEEN ANAV billets will be filled in May 2005 by an ETCM and ETC after applicable training en route is completed. As of 9 March 2005, COMNAVSUBFOR has assumed responsibility for Pacific Submarine Force manning, including COMSUBRON FIFTEEN and other Guam activities. Therefore, by copy of this correspondence, Recommendation 12 is forwarded to COMNAVSUBFOR.

4. (U) My point of contact is CDR may be reached at (808) 473-5826.

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